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A Notice of Abandonment, Form PTO-1432, was mailed on Oct. 29, 2008, in patent application Serial Number 10/656,647. The Notice of Abandonment alleged that applicant failed to file a response to the Office action dated Apr. 18, 2008. However, the record does show a response with a request of three months extension of time was filed on Oct. 23, 2008. A certificate of facsimile transmission dated Oct. 20, 2008 was signed by Mary Keller on Page 1 of the response. Accordingly, the response is considered timely and the Notice of Abandonment is, therefore, hereby RESCINDED.

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